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INTRODUCTORY COMMENTS

To assist the U.S. Patent and Trademark Office in interpreting the English Translation of the Article 19 Amendments, the following represents the Article 19 Amendments as it applies to the English language specification and as the English language Translation of the Article 19 Amendments applies to the Japanese language specification.